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STATEMENT BY UNITED STATES ATTORNEY JOHNNY SUTTON ON THE RETIREMENT OF MANUEL E. MORA, SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, EL PASO DIVISION

"I want to commend FBI Special Agent in Charge Manny Mora for his outstanding leadership and for his ability to secure additional resources and personnel for El Paso in order to address the ever-growing caseload. During his tenure, he has demonstrated his unique ability to foster interagency cooperation to the degree never reached before. It has been a privilege to work with Agent Mora. I congratulate him on his retirement and wish him only the very best in his future endeavors."

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